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Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

The prior application is assigned of record to Semiconductor Energy Laboratory Co., Ltd., a Japan corporation, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office and recorded on November 16, 1998 at 9595/0211.

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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- Preliminary amendment, 8 pages.
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This application is a divisional (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. application serial no. 09/115,094, filed July 13, 1998, now allowed, which under 35 USC 119, claims the benefit of foreign priority application filed in Japan on July 14, 1997 as serial number 09-205347. This application claims priority to both of these applications, and both of these applications are incorporated by reference.

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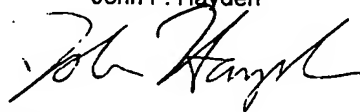
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